

**Amendments to the Claims:**

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

**Listing of Claims:**

1           **Claim 1 (previously presented):**       A method of  
2   establishing a binaural communication link between two  
3   hearing devices at an individual by at least two electrical  
4   conductors, each of said hearing devices comprising an  
5   electrical to mechanical output converter, the method  
6   comprising the steps of establishing one of said at least  
7   two electrical conductors by the individual's body and a  
8   second one of said at least two electrical conductors by a  
9   wire.

1           **Claim 2 (previously presented):**   The method of claim  
2   1, further comprising bi-directionally transmitting  
3   electrical signals between said hearing devices.

1           **Claim 3 (previously presented):**   The method of claim 1,  
2   further comprising transmitting at least one of control  
3   signals and of audio signals via said communication link.

1           **Claim 4 (previously presented):**   The method of claim  
2   1, further comprising providing an electronic unit  
3   communicating by said link with said devices.

1           **Claim 5 (previously presented):** The method of claim  
2     4, wherein said unit comprises a receiver-/transmitter-unit  
3     for wireless communication and establishing communication.

1           **Claim 6 (previously presented):** The method of claim  
2     1, wherein one of said two hearing devices is a master and  
3     the second of said hearing devices is a slave.

1           **Claim 7 (previously presented):** The method of claim  
2     5, further comprising providing said transmitter-/receiver  
3     unit between said two hearing devices.

1           **Claim 8 (previously presented):** The method of claim  
2     1, further comprising applying said wire to at least one of  
3     said hearing devices by magnetic attraction.

1           **Claim 9 (previously presented):** The method of claim  
2     8, further comprising establishing by said magnetic  
3     attraction an electric conduction contact of said wire to  
4     an input tab of said at least one hearing device.

1           **Claim 10 (previously presented):** The method of claim  
2     9, further comprising establishing said conduction contact  
3     by at least one of a magnetic and of a ferromagnetic  
4     member.

1           **Claim 11 (previously presented):** The method of claim  
2    9, further comprising establishing said conduction contact  
3    with at least one of a non-magnetic metal contact member,  
4    a conductive polymer contact member.

1           **Claim 12 (previously presented):** The method of claim  
2    8, further comprising establishing by said magnetic  
3    attraction a capacitive electric contact of said wire to an  
4    input of said at least one hearing device.

1           **Claim 13 (previously presented):** The method of claim  
2    1, further comprising establishing electric contact to said  
3    individual's body from said devices by a conduction body  
4    electrode comprising at least one of a metallic and of a  
5    conductive polymer body electrode.

1           **Claim 14 (previously presented):** The method of claim  
2    1, further comprising establishing electric contact to said  
3    individual's body by a series capacitance electrode from  
4    said hearing devices.

1           **Claim 15 (previously presented):** The method of claim  
2    8, further comprising establishing a predetermined relative  
3    positioning of a contact area at said wire and a contact

4 area at said at least one hearing device, by said magnetic  
5 attraction.

1       **Claim 16 (previously presented):** The method of claim  
2 8, further comprising enabling or disabling applying said  
3 wire to one of said two hearing devices by appropriately  
4 selecting magnetic polarities of respective magnetic  
5 arrangements at said at least one hearing device and said  
6 wire.

1       **Claim 17 (previously presented):** The method of claim  
2 1, further comprising providing an electronic unit  
3 interconnected between said two hearing devices by said  
4 communication link and providing at said electronic unit an  
5 electrode to said individual's body comprising one of a  
6 conduction body electrode, preferably of at least one of a  
7 metal and of a conductive polymer and of a capacitive body  
8 electrode.

1       **Claim 18 (previously presented):** The method of claim  
2 1, wherein said hearing devices are one of in-the-ear and  
3 outside-the-ear hearing devices.

1       **Claim 19 (previously presented):** The method of claim  
2 1, wherein said hearing devices are therapeutical hearing  
3 aid devices.

1           **Claim 20 (previously presented):** The method of claim  
2   1 further comprising integrating said communication link  
3   into a head-worn assembly, preferably into glasses.

1           **Claim 21 (previously presented):** The method of claim  
2   20, further comprising establishing electric connection of  
3   said wire to at least one of said hearing devices by  
4   putting on said glasses.

1           **Claim 22 (previously presented):** A binaural hearing  
2   device set comprising a pair of hearing devices and a  
3   communication link between said pair of hearing devices,  
4   said communication link comprising a pair of body  
5   electrodes for establishing an electrically conductive  
6   communication path by using the body of an individual  
7   wearing said binaural hearing device set as an electrical  
8   conductor, and each of said pair of hearing devices  
9   comprising an electrical to mechanical output converter,  
10   wherein said communication link further comprises at least  
11   one single wire.

**Claim 23 (canceled)**

1           **Claim 24 (previously presented):** The set of claim 22,  
2       wherein said communication link further comprises an  
3       electronic unit and two single wires respectively  
4       connectable to said hearing devices on one side and to said  
5       electronic unit on the other side.

1           **Claim 25 (previously presented):** The set of claim 24,  
2       wherein said electronic unit comprises a wireless  
3       transmitter-/receiver-unit operationally connected to  
4       contact areas for said two wires.

1           **Claim 26 (currently amended):** The set of claim 22 ~~23~~,  
2       further comprising a magnetic connection arrangement  
3       between at least one end of said wire and at least one of  
4       said two hearing devices.

1           **Claim 27 (previously presented):** The set of claim 26,  
2       wherein said magnetic connection comprises conductive  
3       contact members at said hearing device and at said one end  
4       respectively for establishing mutual galvanic contact  
5       between said wire and said hearing device.

1           **Claim 28 (previously presented):** The set of claim 27,  
2       wherein at least one of said conductive contact members  
3       comprises a magnet or being made of ferromagnetic metal.

1           **Claim 29 (previously presented):** The set of claim 27,  
2   wherein at least one of said conductive contact members  
3   comprises at least one of non-magnetic metal and of  
4   conductive polymer.

1           **Claim 30 (previously presented):** The set of claim 26,  
2   wherein said magnetic connection comprises a series  
3   capacitance, established by establishing said magnetic  
4   connection.

1           **Claim 31 (previously presented):** The set of claim 22,  
2   wherein said body electrode is a conductive plate or a  
3   conductive plate covered with a dielectric material.

1           **Claim 32 (currently amended):** The set of claim 22 ~~23~~,  
2   wherein said wire is integrated into a head-worn assembly.

1           **Claim 33 (previously presented):** The set of claim 22,  
2   wherein said hearing devices are in-the-ear or outside-the-  
3   ear hearing devices.

1           **Claim 34 (previously presented):** The set claim 22,  
2   wherein said hearing devices are hearing aid devices.